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RESPONSE

Box RCE Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This response accompanies a Request for Continued Examination, following a final Office Action dated March 29, 2007. A petition for a three-month extension of time is attached to extend the period of response from June 29, 2007 to September 29, 2007. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the remarks submitted herein.